

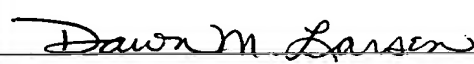


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In the Claims

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1. A disc brake rotor having a grey cast iron composition, wherein said composition comprises between 0.5 and 1.2% by weight of copper, and a plurality of hard carbide

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